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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27). 03/15/2002 BNGUYEN1 00000075 09885297
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1724.
 - \$909 for 101 total claims over 20.
 - \$680 for 17 independent claims over 3.
 - \$135 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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- The balance due by applicant is \$ 2144.
- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. However, the content of the computer readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.822 and/or 1.823, as indicated on the attached copy of the marked -up "Raw Sequence Listing." Applicant must provide a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d).

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In re the application of: Lonnie O. Ingram et al.

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Fifed: June 19, 2001

For: Methods and Compositions for Simultaneous

Saccharification and Fermentation

Attorney Docket No.: BCI-024CP

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated July 27, 2001, Applicants' attorney submits herewith an *executed* Declaration and Power of Attorney and a Request for a Five-Month Extension of Time for the above-identified patent application. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$980.00 which is for the Five-Month Extension of Time Fee. Also enclosed is in the amount of \$2,198.00 which includes \$370.00 (filing fee), \$65.00 (surcharge), \$909.00 (additional claim fee), \$140.00 (multiple dependent claim fee), and

\$714.00 (independent claim fee) based on small entity status. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application is also enclosed.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.825, Applicant submits herewith substitute pages 1-19 which contain a substitute Sequence Listing for the above-referenced application.

In addition, Applicant submits concurrently herewith a computer-readable form (diskette) of the substitute Sequence Listing which is identical in substance to the paper copy of the substitute Sequence Listing on substitute pages 1-19 submitted herewith. *No new matter has been added*.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-0080.

Please charge any underpayments or credit any overpayments associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080. A duplicate of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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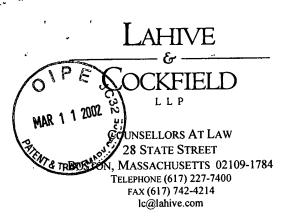
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Saccharification and Fermentation" Applicants: Lonnie O. Ingram et al.

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Dear Sir:

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I enclose herewith for filing in the above-identified application the following:

- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (in duplicate, 2 pages);
- 2. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (2 pages);
- 3. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (5 pages);
- 4. Request for Five-Month Extension of Time (in duplicate, 1 page);
- 5. Check in the amount of \$980.00 for Two-Month Extension of Time Fee;
- 6. Check in the amount of \$2,198.00 (includes \$370.00 (filing fee), \$65.00 (surcharge), \$909.00 (additional claim fee), \$140.00 (multiple dependent claim fee), and \$714.00 (independent claim fee));
- 7. Transmittal Letter for Diskette Containing Substitute Sequence Listing (1 page);
- 8. Diskette containing Substitute Sequence Listing;

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- 9. Hard (paper) copy of Substitute Sequence Listing (pages 1-19); and
- 10. Pre-paid acknowledgment postcard.

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